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VERMONT

Bennington

BENNINGTON

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State

County

Town or Vicinity

First Congregational Church ("Old First Church") (VT-90)

Structure

Monument Ave., on Bennington Green at State Rt. 9, in "Old Bennington" (originally Bennington Center). Frame with clapboarding and corner quoins, three-bay front x five bays, two stories with three-stage tower over projecting center bay. Fine example of early-19th C. New England church. Built 1804-05; altered 1849, 1851, 1864; restored 1936-37. Lavius Fillmore, designer; Dennison Hall, restoration architect. 3 ext. photos (1940), 5 int. photos (1940); 3 data pages (1964).